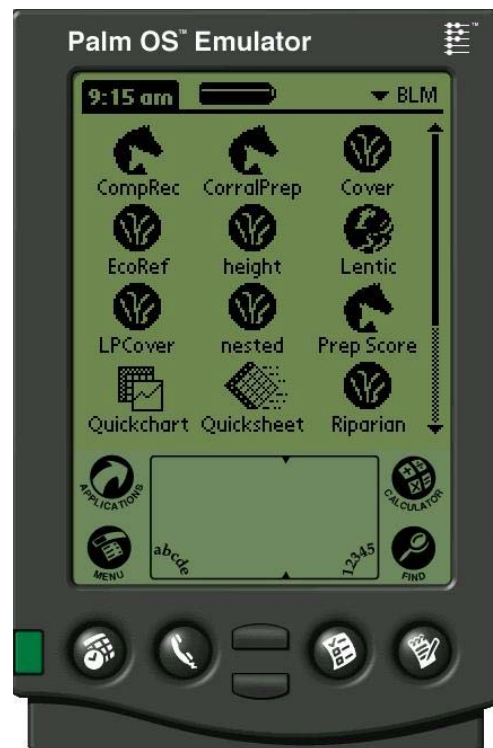
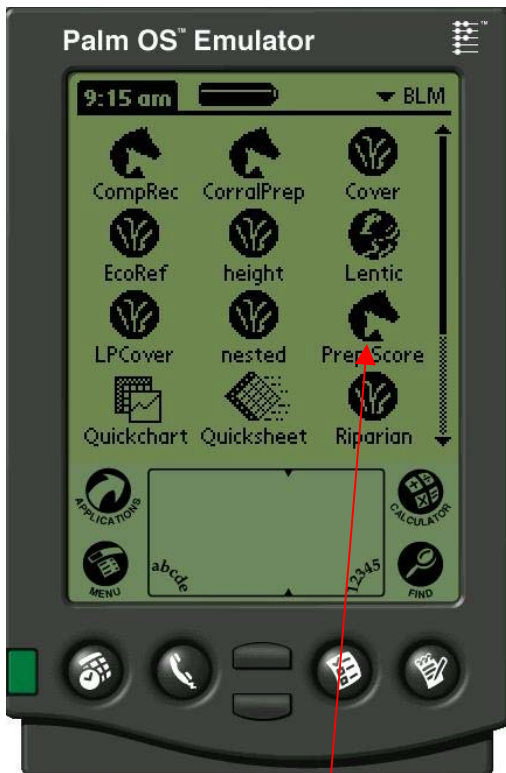


Wild Horse Prep Score

This procedure was developed by Dr. Temple Grandin Animal Behaviorist at Colorado State University as a means of monitoring the amount of stress being placed on horses being handled at BLM facilities. It is also valuable to detect patterns of temperament in different horse herds, and the effects of weather and other natural factors on the behavior of horses under the stress of handling.

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Open the program by touching the PrepScore Icon.

Touch a record to open it or new to start a new record.

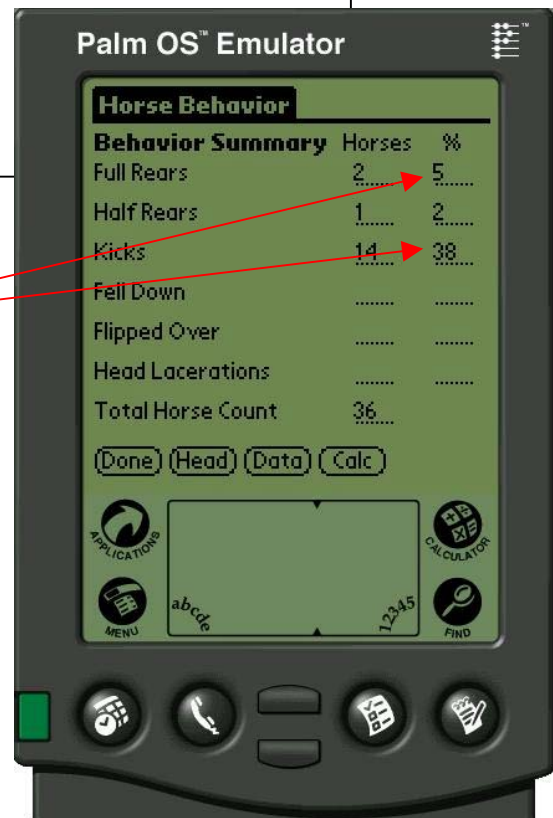
Enter the heading information and remarks on the first screen using graffiti or a portable keyboard.

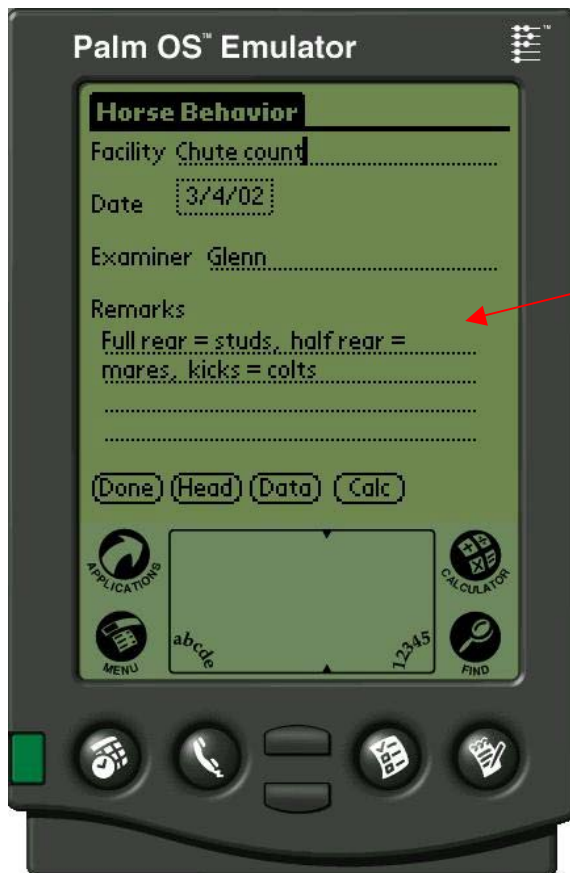




Full Rear Half Rear Head Laceration Fell Down Kick Flipped over Total Horse Count
 When in the Data Screen, Data is entered by pushing the buttons along the bottom of the PDA.
 The button functions are shown above. When entering data Count each horse that comes through the chute by touching The Total Horse Count Button. If a horse kicks or does any of the other listed behaviors count only one instance of that behavior i.e. If a horse kicks 10 times only one kick is counted.

Touching the Calc button calculates the percentage of the total horses that were worked that displayed any of the listed behaviors.





The program may also be used as a simple counting tool at gathers or other instances where we want to keep a count of horses by sex and age. Use the remarks section to define what each button counts. This screen shows 11 studs, 15 mares, and 10 colts.

